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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Brian Doyle

Serial No. 09/516,653

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For: QUANTUM WIRE GATE DEVICE  
AND METHOD OF MAKING  
SAME

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a two-month extension from February 2, 2003 (2/2/03), two months after December 2, 2002 (12/2/02) the date that the Notice of Appeal was filed. The period for filing the appeal brief was set for 2/2/03, two months after 12/2/02, hence a two month extension period is required for a response due April 2, 2003 (4/2/03) two months after 2/02/2003. Therefore, a check in the amount of \$410.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a two-month extension of time.

Nevertheless, if Applicants have miscalculated the extension period, pursuant to 37 C.F.R 1.136(a)(3), Applicants hereby request and authorize the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to (1) treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time and (2) charge all required fees, including extension of time fees and fees under 37 C.F.R 1.16 and 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.



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